No. 04-1131

Title:	Terry L. Whitman, Petitioner v. Department of Transportation, et al.
Docketed:	February 24, 2005
Lower Ct:	United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
Case Nos.:	(03-35303)
Decision Date:	August 30, 2004
Rehearing Denied:	November 24, 2004

Questions Presented

~~Date~~	~~~~~~~~Proceedings and Orders~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Feb 22 2005	Petition for a writ of certiorari filed. (Response due March 28, 2005)
Mar 23 2005	Order extending time to file response to petition to and including April 27, 2005.
Apr 15 2005	Order further extending time to file response to petition to and including May 25, 2005.
May 19 2005	Order further extending time to file response to petition to and including June 6, 2005.
Jun 6 2005	Brief of respondents Department of Transportation, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Jun 7 2005	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of June 23, 2005.
Jun 9 2005	Reply of petitioner Terry L. Whitman filed. (Distributed)
Jun 27 2005	Petition GRANTED.
Jul 21 2005	Extension of time within which to file the joint appendix and petitioner's brief on the merits to and including September 1, 2005.
Jul 25 2005	SET FOR ARGUMENT on December 5, 2005.
Aug 5 2005	CIRCULATED.
Aug 25 2005	Consent to the filing of amicus briefs in support of either party received from counsel for the petitioner.
Aug 26 2005	Brief amicus curiae of Allen Dotson filed.
Sep 1 2005	Brief amici curiae of American Federation of Government Employees, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Sep 1 2005	Brief amicus curiae of National Treasury Employees Union filed. (Distributed)
Sep 1 2005	Brief of petitioner Terry L. Whitman filed. (Distributed)
Sep 1 2005	Joint appendix filed. (Distributed)
Sep 20 2005	Extension of time within which to file the respondents' brief on the merits to and including October 18, 2005.

Oct 11 2005	Motion of National Treasury Employees Union for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument filed.
Oct 18 2005	Further extension of time within which to file respondents' brief on the merits to and including October 20, 2005.
Oct 20 2005	Brief of respondents Department of Transportation, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Oct 27 2005	Motion of American Federation of Government Employees, et al. for leave to participate in oral argument as amici curiae and for divided argument filed.
Oct 28 2005	Record received from U.S.C.A. - 9th Circuit. (1 envelope)
Oct 31 2005	Motion of National Treasury Employees Union for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument DENIED.
Oct 31 2005	Record received from U.S.D.C. for Dist.of Alaska. (1 envelope)
Nov 7 2005	Motion of American Federation of Government Employees, et al. for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument DENIED.
Nov 23 2005	Reply of petitioner Terry L. Whitman filed. (Distributed)
Dec 5 2005	Argued. For petitioner: Pamela S. Karlan, Stanford, Cal. For respondents: Malcolm L. Stewart, Assistant to the Solicitor General, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.